

# Public Hearing Notice

To all interested citizens of Newport, Kentucky:

The Kentucky Department for Local Government is accepting applications for funding under the 2020 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. The City of Newport intends to apply for funding to assist in development of owner-occupied housing to be sold to income-eligible households.

The City will hold a public hearing prior to submission of the CDBG application. This public hearing will be held at 4:00 PM EST, December 28, 2020, in the first floor meeting room at Newport City Hall 998 Monmouth Street, Newport, Kentucky. **Persons attending the hearing must wear masks and social distancing will be required.**

The purpose of this hearing is to obtain views on housing and community development needs, review proposed activities, review the proposed application, and solicit public comments. Technical assistance is available to help groups representing low and moderate income persons in developing proposals.

The following information concerning the CDBG program is now available for public inspection during regular business hours at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Customer Service Desk, City Hall, 998 Monmouth, Kentucky.

- A. Amount of funds available and range of activities that may be undertaken.
- B. Estimated amounts of funds proposed to be used for activities benefiting persons of low and moderate income.
- C. Plans for minimizing displacement of persons as a result of activities associated with CDBG funds and plans for providing assistance to those persons to be actually displaced as a result of CDBG-funded activities.
- D. Records regarding the past use of CDBG funds.
- E. A summary of other important program requirements.

To view this material, please call Joy Rovno, City Clerk at 859-292-3666.

## **Comments on Application**

Beginning Thursday, December 17, 2020, a copy of the proposed CDBG application will be on file for citizen review and comment during regular business hours. To view this material, please call Joy Rovno at 859-292-3666.

Comments on the proposed application may be mailed to the attention of Joy Rovno, City Clerk, Newport City Hall, 998 Monmouth Street, Newport, Kentucky 41071 or submitted by e-mail at [jrovno@newportky.gov](mailto:jrovno@newportky.gov).

## **Discrimination Clause**

The City of Newport does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion or disability, and provides, upon request, reasonable accommodation, including auxiliary aids and services, to afford an individual with a disability an equal opportunity to participate in all services, programs and activities. Any persons requiring special needs assistance to attend the public hearing should contact Joy Rovno at 859-292-3666 at least five days prior to the hearing. The TDD number for the hearing impaired is 1-800-648-6057.

